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## Around Town

Charles Devall, of Pithblithing, was among the recent visitors to Bassano. George Field, of Pithblithing, was among the guests at the Alberta hotel on Monday.

Among the late guests at the hotel Alberta were Mr. Dymond and son of the Dymond ranch.

R. V. Wilson, of Calgary, is here for a few days visiting E. Buckingham of the Bassano Trading Co.

Don Lacy, of Calgary, representing a wine and spirit house, was among the recent guests at the Alberta.

W. J. Henderson, of Hinton, was in town on Monday and Tuesday and was a guest at the Alberta.

The ferry boat to be used for ferrying across the Bow, south of Bassano, has been completed and will shortly be put into use.

H. Turgill, of Nanton, is in town for a few days, visiting Robertson & Tupper and other former residents of his home town.

J. W. Foster and Charles Parks, of Berry creek, were in town a few days since and made their headquarters at the Alberta hotel.

The Baptist service will be conducted as usual in the schoolhouse on Sunday afternoon at 3.30 by A. A. Gordon. The subject will be "Hail."

Fred Hawkins is constructing a cozy cottage on Fourth avenue east. Its ground dimensions are 30 by 25 feet and it will have four rooms, a pantry and a broad veranda.

G. K. Allan, the popular teller of the Canadian bank of Commerce, left on Wednesday for Calgary, where he will spend a two-week vacation. Mr. Hill, of the Poudre branch of the bank of Commerce, is filling Mr. Allan's place during his absence.

A heavy rain and wind storm prevailed on Thursday afternoon beginning at 2 o'clock and lasting for nearly an hour. The rainfall was very heavy, but less and wet the ground for two-thirds of an inch in depth.

L. Fowler, of the local staff of the C. P. R., has joined the Presbyterian choir. He had nine years' experience as a choir leader, a teacher of music and will be a valuable addition to the choir.

Ray Warburton of the Canadian Pacific Colonization Co., was in town on Monday after supplies from the Lake Dawson section. He reports that the grass is knee high on the land that was bought of them last spring.

John H. Smith, ferryman on the Red Deer river, north of here, was in town on Monday after supplies. He reports that there were a good many prairie fires north of the Red Deer river last week and that he and his neighbors were kept busy during the greater part of the week in extinguishing them.

H. H. Struthers, of the Bassano Bakery, has sold the retail portion of the business to E. A. W. Wilson, of Strathmore. It is Mr. Struthers' intention to install a new steam and soft drink department in the establishment. Mr. Wilson has had considerable experience in the bakery and confectionery business.

W. Hood was in town on Sunday and Monday on a business visit from Strathmore. He reports that he is looking after the construction of a new ditch rulers' house and barn in the vicinity of Strathmore, and that he has completed two of them, and will take about two months to finish the other five.

John Whyte, bookkeeper for the local branch of the Bowman-Sine Co., returned on Saturday from Brooks, where he had been for several days looking after the books there. Mr. Whyte will hereafter spend half of his time here and the other half at Brooks. He reports that Brooks is growing and now has a population of about 200 people. An addition is being made to the hotel there, which will give it about 10 more rooms.

The services held by the Methodists in Prince's hall in the forenoon are growing very popular as conducted by Rev. M. Davidson. The members of the congregation have organized a choir of ten members and included in this is a male quartet, consisting of Frank Murchison, William Murchison, W. A. W. Hanes and C. E. McConnell. On last Sunday evening, the quartet rendered a hymn in the style of "Run Over by Train."

"Laddie" a fox terrier belonging to Flanagan Brothers was run over and killed by a through freight train in the local yard on Sunday noon. The dog was brought here from Almont by Flanagan Brothers a year ago, was owned by them for several years before that and was thought a great pet by its owner. A couple of calves got in front of No. 2 passenger train on Saturday last. The train stopped, but despite this, one of the calves was struck and two of its legs broken. It had to be killed in order to put it out of its misery.

HAD A COMPLETE OUTFIT

R. O. Children Leaves With Lots of Stock for His 140-Acre Ranch

R. O. Children who left here on Wednesday at noon for township 30, range 10. They had a fine drive team, loaded to the limit of its capacity with household goods, lumber and farming implements. Mr. Children drove the first four-hour team and Mrs. Children the second, and she proved herself to be a capital driver. Behind the team were 14 horses of the breed and 14 head of cows and young calves. They also kept the horses and cattle from straying. The entire outfit fitted up a desirable area of 140 acres as it moved slowly out of town. Mr. and Mrs. Children are from Ontario. They have a 140-acre ranch and intend to devote their time to mixed farming, principally to horse and cattle raising.

Five six trains loaded with gravel pass here daily. One, however, comes from the gravel pits near Gravel and the material is being used to ballast the tracks east and west of Tilley. It is the best gravel for this purpose to be found in this district. As soon as the track is laid to properly ballast the material is to be used on the gravel on the track to the west between Gravel and Calgary. It is the father of the ballast, who was in his household north of the Red Deer river at the time of the fatal accident.

The funeral of little Sarah McKelvey, the five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McKelvey, who was killed in the local railway yard last week on Sunday forenoon at 10 o'clock, took place on Monday. The funeral was in his household north of the Red Deer river at the time of the fatal accident. It had been communicated with and returned here in time to attend the funeral. The funeral was held in the church which contained the body. Services were held at the grave, which were conducted by Rev. John McKelvey, pastor of the Presbyterian church.

RUNAWAY COAL CAR

It was Captured After It Had Traveled About Two Miles

A runaway coal car, a powerful locomotive, the capture of the fugitive and a passenger train, the time they have right of way, formed an exciting episode that thrilled those who witnessed it at 4.30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. At the time mentioned two coal cars were being let down by hand from the elevated track over the road track. The front car, a second runner being uncoupled and shot down the inclined track with much speed. Indeed, the momentum was so great that it carried it over the apex of the first rise over half a mile from the town. Once it got over the rise it began to move with considerable speed down the incline towards Latham. From where it began to gather momentum it is down grade for some distance beyond Latham. Begins No. 2, of the way freight, was in the yard, with Engineer Pettit at the throttle. This big locomotive was uncoupled from the train and ran down the track after the runaway coal car at the rate of about a mile a minute. It had to go nearly two miles, however, before it caught up to and captured the runaway. The coal car was brought back and side-tracked just as the east-bound passenger car pulled into the depot.

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